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Subject:

RE: Soitec Solar biological report for new alternative

Attachments:

SoitecSitesPlusLosRobles-AerialBase.pdf

Hi Kelly,

There is no Los Robles site specific biological analysis report. The only portion of the biological analysis for the Soitec project that would apply to the Los Robles site is the analysis that pertains to the Tierra del Sol gen-tie that would pass through portions of that site. I have attached a figure (which I forwarded to Donna Tisdale earlier this week) that roughly shows were the gen-tie passes through portions of the Los Robles site.

If one of the project alternatives involving the Los Robles site were approved, Soitec would have to apply for the necessary permit approvals and site specific analysis would be conducted at that time. The County would also need to decide whether the Programmatic EIR could be relied upon, or whether a subsequent EIR or Negative Declaration would be needed. Please refer to CEQA Guidelines Section 15168 regarding the use of a Program EIR.

Please refer to CEQA Guidelines Section 15126.6(d) regarding evaluation of alternatives and Section 15126.6(f)(2) regarding alternative locations.

If you have information that supports another alternative as environmentally superior, please provide that in your comments.

Please let me know if you have any additional questions.

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To: Hingtgen, Robert J

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Hi Robert,

I've been looking through the biological reports for the Soitec Solar project out in Boulevard on the County's website, and I don't see a biological report for the Los Robles alternative. Did I just miss it? Can you point me toward where I can get a copy of it? It's ultimately chosen as part of the Environmentally Superior Alternative in the project's EIR, so surely an environmental review has been done and that information is available to the public during the project's EIR comment period.

Thanks,

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